

Amendments to the Claims

To the Claims:

We claim:

1.) - 6.) (canceled)

7.) (currently amended) A portable door lock comprising:
a strike plate having a first end and a second end;
two pairs of apertures at said first end of said strike plate;
a boss for insertion into a recess within a door frame at
said second end of said strike plate;
a U-bolt for insertion into said apertures; and
a magnet for adherence to said bolt and/or said strike
plate.

8.) (canceled)

9.) (original) The portable door lock according to claim 8, wherein said magnet is
sized so as to be capable of fitting in two distinct orientations when
adhering to said bolt and/or said strike plate.

10.) (original) A portable door lock comprising:
a metal strike plate having a first end and a second end;
two pairs of apertures at said first end of said strike plate;
a boss for insertion into a recess within a door frame at
said second end of said strike plate;
a metal U-bolt for insertion into one of said two pairs of
apertures; and
a magnet for adherence to said bolt and said strike plate.

11.) (previously presented) A method of locking a door, comprising:
providing a strike plate with a handle, a boss at one

end and two pairs of apertures at the other end;
gripping said strike plate by said handle, and
inserting said boss into a recess within a door frame;
inserting a bolt through said aperture, so that said bolt
is substantially perpendicular to said strike plate; and
inserting a magnet in an area directly adjacent to said
bolt, directly adjacent to said strike plate, and directly
adjacent to said door, thereby locking said door.

12.) - 13.) (canceled)